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Joelle Burns Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

Via e-mail: jburns@Utah.gov

RE: Big Thompson Mesa S/17/047

In Reply Please Refer to Case No. 05-0096

Dear Ms. Burns:

The Utah State Historic Preservation Office received the referenced information on January 28, 2005. After consideration of the consultation request in behalf of DOGM, the Utah Preservation Office provides the following comments per §36CFR800.

Section 106 Consultation; no survey has been completed of this area. There is potential to effect cultural resources in this area of Garfield County, therefore USHPO recommends that a cultural resource survey be completed for this undertaking.

This information is provided on request to assist with Section 106 responsibilities as specified in §36CFR800. If you have any questions, please contact me at (801) 533-3552. My e-mail address is wmartin@utah.gov

Sincerely,

Wilson G. Martin State Historic Preservation Officer - Utah

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